

1 section, and in doing so, as Congressman Miller said
2 when he went out the door the other day, we are certain-
3 ly not recommending that the Government be filled with
4 subversives as it was felt by the deletion of this
5 section.

6 It is of fairly recent origin. Why it was con-
7 tained in the Constitution, I don't think we were able
8 to ascertain, though we had some considerable research
9 done into the background of it, and Lew Noonberg, the
10 reporter, is going to tell you a little bit about a
11 possible conflict with Article LXXXV-A, in the event that
12 it is deleted from the new Constitution. We did not, how-
13 ever, discuss why it was, exactly why it was felt neces-
14 sary to place the provision in the Constitution. Only
15 four States have done so, besides Maryland, and in recom-
16 mending the deletion of the section, we do not make any
17 recommendation one way or the other with regard to
18 legislation such as Article LXXXV-A on subversive activities.

19 I would be less than frank if, as chairman of
20 the committee, I would not admit that I wear another hat
21 as well. I am one of counsel in a suit now pending in